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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

District of New Jersey

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Standing Chapter 13 Trustee

In re:

James M. Castello

Debtor(s)

Order Filed on May 28, 2024 by Clerk U.S. Bankruptcy Court District of New Jersey

Case No.: 24-11693 / MBK

Hearing Date: 05/22/2024

Judge: Michael B. Kaplan

Chapter: 13

ORDER CONFIRMING CHAPTER 13 PLAN

The relief set forth on the following pages, numbered two (2) through four (4) is **ORDERED**.

DATED: May 28, 2024

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The plan of the debtor having been proposed to creditors, and a hearing having been held on the confirmation of such plan, and it appearing that the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code have been complied with; and for good cause shown, it is

ORDERED that the plan of the above named debtor, dated 03/28/2024, or the last amended plan of the debtor be and it is hereby confirmed. The Standing Trustee shall make payments in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1326 with funds received from the debtor.

ORDERED that the plan of the debtor is confirmed to pay the Standing Trustee for a period of 48 months.

ORDERED that the debtor shall pay the Standing Trustee, Albert Russo, based upon the following schedule, which payments shall include commission and expenses of the Standing Trustee in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 586:

\$6,446.00 PAID TO DATE

\$4,740.00 for 45 months beginning 06/01/2024

ORDERED that the case is confirmed at 100%, which includes a minimum of \$375,094.00 dividend to general unsecured creditors due to non-exempt equity in property.

ORDERED that the Standing Trustee shall be authorized to submit, ex-parte, an Amended Confirming Order, if required, subsequent to the passage of the claims bar date(s) provided under Fed. R. Bank. P. 3002.

ORDERED that the debtor's attorney be and hereby is allowed a fee pursuant to the filed 2016(b) Statement. Any unpaid balance of the allowed fee shall be paid to said attorney through the Chapter 13 plan by the Standing Trustee.

ORDERED that if the debtor should fail to make plan payments or fail to comply with other plan provisions for a period of more than 30 days, the Standing Trustee may file, with the Court and serve upon the Debtor and Debtor's Counsel, a Certification of Non-Receipt of Payment and request that the debtor's case be dismissed. The debtor shall have fourteen (14) days within which to file with the Court and serve upon the Trustee a written objection to such Certification.

ORDERED that upon completion of the plan, affected secured creditors shall take all steps necessary to remove of record any lien or portion of any lien discharged.

ORDERED that the Standing Trustee is <u>not authorized</u> to pay post-petition claims filed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1305(a).

ORDERED that the Pre-Confirmation Certification of Compliance must be filed by 06/05/2024.

ORDERED that if the debtor has provided for a creditor to be paid in the plan and no Proof of Claim is filed by such creditor before expiration of the applicable bar date, the debtor, pursuant to F.R.B.P. 3004, must file a Proof of Claim on behalf of the creditor within 30 days of the expiration of the applicable bar date. If the time period pursuant to F.R.B.P. 3004 has expired, the debtor must file a Proof of Claim on behalf of the creditor <u>and</u> file a motion to allow the Trustee to pay the late filed claim, or the debtor may obtain a Consent Order with the creditor authorizing the Trustee to pay an amount certain in the plan.

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ORDERED as follows:

Debtors attorney shall file a fee application by June 5, 2024.

Preserve \$286,469.00 in non-exempt equity in residence.

Preserve \$88,625.00 non-exempt equity in jewelry.

The claim of Internal Revenue Service, court claim #5-2, will be paid as if in the plan, and the Trustee is authorized to pay such claim.

The claim of NJ Division of Taxation, court claim #6-2, will be paid as if in the plan, and the Trustee is authorized to pay such claim.

The claim of M&T Bank, court claim #9-1, will be paid as if in the plan, and the Trustee is authorized to pay such claim.

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James M. Castello Chapter 13

Debtor

CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

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The following symbols are used throughout this certificate:

Symbol Definition

Addresses marked '+' were corrected by inserting the ZIP, adding the last four digits to complete the zip +4, or replacing an incorrect ZIP. USPS

regulations require that automation-compatible mail display the correct ZIP.

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on May 30, 2024:

Recipi ID Recipient Name and Address

db + James M. Castello, 212 Millstone Rd., Millstone Township, NJ 08535-8512

TOTAL: 1

Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center.

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NONE

BYPASSED RECIPIENTS

The following addresses were not sent this bankruptcy notice due to an undeliverable address, *duplicate of an address listed above, *P duplicate of a preferred address, or ## out of date forwarding orders with USPS.

NONE

NOTICE CERTIFICATION

I, Gustava Winters, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: May 30, 2024 Signature: /s/Gustava Winters

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on May 28, 2024 at the address(es) listed below:

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